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Examiner: James S. Wozniak

In re Patent Application of:

Ho Sang SUNG et al.

Application No.: 10/749,569

Confirmation No.: 8996

Filed: December 30, 2003

For:

WIDE-BAND SPEECH CODER/DECODER AND METHOD THEREOF

REQUEST FOR REFUND TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please note that checks, made payable to the Commissioner of Patents, were forward to the Patent Office on October 24, 2008 (for \$1,920) and on April 7, 2009 (for \$130). Please note that the October 24, 2008 PTO check was for the payment of the Request for Continued Examination and the 3-Month Extension of Time fees. Furthermore, the April 7, 2009 PTO check was for the payment of the 1-Month Extension of Time fee.

However, the applicant is entitled to <u>Small Entity</u> status and the above-mentioned checks inadvertently paid large entity PTO fees. In light of this fact, it is requested that the different between large entity fees and small entity fees by refunded <u>(refunded amount of \$1,025.00)</u>.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this charge be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-3935 and that the Patent Office acknowledge this credit in writing to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) **TRANSMITTAL**

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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective May 29, 2000 provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995. See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

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MULTIPLE FIXED CODEBOOKS (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 6, 2009, and having a period for response set to expire on April 6, 2009. A petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to May 6, 2009.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of

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